

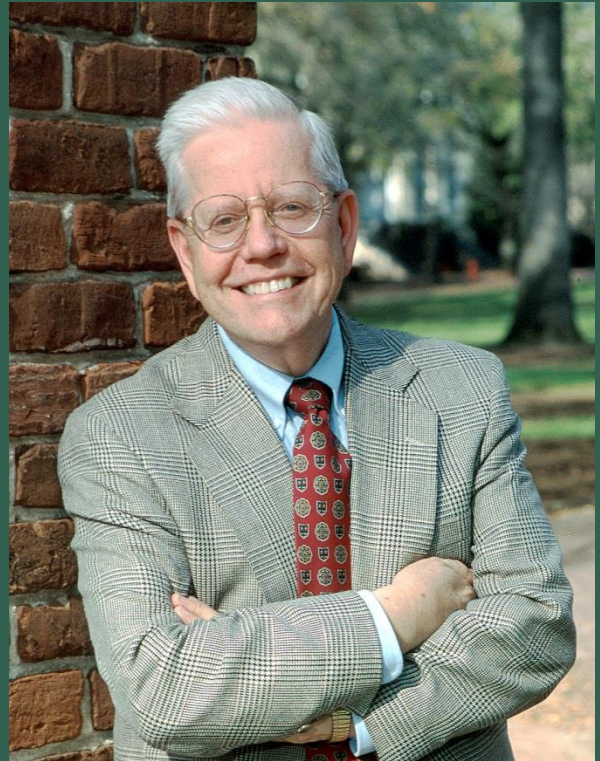


Dan T. Carter was born in Florence, SC, and he has charted a distinguished course as a historian and writer. He received his BA from the University of South Carolina, the MA from University of Wisconsin and the PhD from the University of North Carolina. His focus on 20th-century United States politics pays especial attention to the complex history of the post-Civil War American south. This work has earned him posts at several institutions including the University of Maryland, the University of Wisconsin, a Fulbright at London's Central Polytechnic, Cambridge University and the University of Genoa. At Emory University, he was first appointed as the Andrew W. Mellon Professor of History and then as the William Rand Kenan, Jr. University Professor. He was named the first Educational Foundation Professor of History at the University of South Carolina in the fall of 2000. Carter retired from this position—one that brought him full circle back to SC—when he retired in 2007.

In addition to over forty articles, Dan Carter's publications include *Scottsboro: a Tragedy of the American South*; *When the War Was Over: the Failure of Self-Reconstruction in the South, 1865-1867*; *The Politics of Rage: George Wallace, the Origins of the New Conservatism, and the Transformation of American Politics*, and *From George Wallace to Newt Gingrich: Race in the Conservative Counterrevolution, 1963-1994*. He has also worked as a writer, commentator and consultant to several prestigious documentary projects on PBS and CNN, work that has both popularized his scholarship and garnered critical acclaim. Honors recognizing the quality and impact of Carter's writing include his selection as a Woodrow Wilson Fellow and as the recipient of the Anisfield-Wolfe Award, the Lillian Smith Award and the Bancroft Prize, for *Scottsboro*. He won the Avery Craven Prize and was twice awarded the Jules Landry Prize. Francis Marion College (now University) awarded him the honorary Doctor of Humane Letters, and he won the Georgia Governor's Award in the Humanities in 1991. He also won the Robert F. Kennedy Book Prize and the Sulzby Prize in Political Science for *The Politics of Rage*.

Through this work and the writing he continues to publish in retirement, Dan Carter is a crucial voice in and on the national political scene. ~Jennifer Thomas

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